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## The Lonely Life City and Colour

Artist: City And Colour/Dallas Green

Track: The Lonely Life

Album: The Hurry and the Harm

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Tuning: EADGBe

CAPO 3rd

All chords are relative to the capo on the 3rd fret. Listen out for his signature

hammer-ons and pull-offs and general strumming pattern throughout the track. It s pretty basic

but sounds good playing

against the track though I haven t figured the bridge part out other than to say there s

the C/E, G

and Am in there so any input is welcome.

http://youtu.be/zM1WjFYnHi0

## CHORDS:

Em7 - 022030 Em - 022000 C/E - 032010 G - 320033 D/F#- 200230

**Am** - 002210

[Verse 1]

## Em7

What if I did not love you?

C/E

Where will that be to me

Em7

But I wander through the avenues

C/E

Under a pall of misery

[Verse 2]

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(same as verse 1)
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Would I be face down in a gutter With cheap whiskey on my breath The lonely life of a writer Whose words could not pay his debts

[Chorus]

Em C/E G D/F#

Saying please don t, please don t pass me by

Em C/E

I am alive, oh can t you see?

G D/F#

That I ve been blinded completely

Em C/E G D/F#

Please don t, please don t pass me by

Em C/E

I am alive, oh can t you see?

G D/F#

That I am pleading for your mercy

[Verse 3]
(same as verse 1)

What if we became strangers?
Would you notice my face in a crowd?
And you could you hear the sorrow in my voice?
Helplessly crying your name out loud

[Verse 4]
(same as verse 1)

Would I be searching for a savior? Burned and burning with regret The lonely life of a writer With one last desperate request

[Chorus]
(same chords progression)

Saying please don t, please don t pass me by I am alive, oh can t you see?
That I ve been blinded completely
Please don t, please don t pass me by
I am alive, oh can t you see?
That I am pleading for your mercy

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[Bridge]
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D/F#

I ve been on the lamb

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Em

Being hunted, something fierce

Am

Δm

D/F#

They say time and tide don t wait for no man

Am

But I was just hoping

C/E

These storm filled skies will clear

[Chorus]

(same chords progression)

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That I am pleading for your mercy